MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: ഡിവിഷൻ എക്സിക്യൂട്ടിവ് എൻ ജിനിയർ ആഫീസിൽ വച്ച്.

MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI : ഏതു ഇറിഗേഷൻ ആഫിസ് തിരുവിതാംകൂറിൽ ഉണ്ടെന്നു പറയാമോ ?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR : In the Nagercoil Division. That is the Office of the Executive Engineer, Nagercoil.

MR. T. C KESAVA PILLAI : റോഡു ബോർഡ് ഇറിഗേഷൻ കമ്മിറ്റിയുടെ അധികാരപരിധിയിൽ പെട്ടതാണെന്നുള്ള വിവരം അറിയാമോ ?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR : There is only one Irrigation Committee at Nagercoil, and there is no other elsewhere.

PRESIDENT : The Chief Engineer may probably explain what the newly constituted Board has done.

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR : The Irrigation Works especially in other Divisions were practically left to the respective Division Officers because the Committee did not feel sufficiently conversant with them and they were confident in respect of the Division Officers' selection of the needed irrigation works. They thought that the P. W. D. Advisory Committee will in the matter of the selection of irrigational works do well in giving them over to the respective Division Officers.

Assessment of cultivated area in the State.

97. *MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI : Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have a complete, up-to-date list of the area of (1) cardamom lands, (2) rubber cultivated area, (3) paddy lands under Kodayar and Kuttanad and (4) poramboke and *tharisu* lands under occupation in the whole State for the purpose of assessment and collection of tax?

MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO : Yes, so far as the first 3 classes are concerned. As regards (4), no consolidated list is available.

MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI : പുറമ്പോക്കും തരിശ്ശും ഇനത്തിലുള്ള സർക്കാർ ഭൂമികൾ വെറുതെ അനുഭവിച്ചുകൊണ്ട് കരം കൊടുക്കാതിരിക്കുന്നവെന്നുള്ള വിവരം അറിയാമോ ?

MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO: There are many cases of encroachments. In all such cases, action has been taken by the Tahsildars, and the parties are either evacuated or punished.

MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI : ഇപ്രകാരമുള്ള ചാർച്ചകൾ മേലാൽ ഉണ്ടാകാതിരിക്കുന്നതിനു വേണ്ട നടപടി നടത്തുമോ ?

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MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO: Sir, unless the people completely co-operate with the Government, it is impossible to prevent such encroachments. There will not be any way whereby encroachments could be prevented by the Government if people take into their heads to encroach. The people should co-operate with the Government and, as long as that feeling is not inculcated in their minds, the encroachment will continue.

MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI : കോതയാർ പ്രോജക്റ്റ് ഏറിയായിൽ വെള്ളക്കരം കൊടുക്കാതെ അനേകം ഏക്കർ സ്ഥലം വെറുതെ അനുഭവിച്ചു വരുന്നു എന്നുള്ള സംഗതി ഞാൻ ഗവണ്മെൻറിന്റെ ദൃഷ്ടിയിൽ കൊണ്ടുവന്നുകൊള്ളുന്നു.

MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO: If specific instances are brought to the notice of the Government, action will be taken.

Travancore Credit Bank.

98. *MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI (*Tiruvalla*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the total number and the names of Directors of the Travancore Credit Bank on 15-11-1115; and

(*b*) whether any of the Directors has tendered his resignation in 1115 and the reasons for the same?

MR. S. SUNDARARAJAN: (*a*) The total number of Directors of the Travancore Credit Bank as on 15th Mithunam 1115 is 9. Their names are given below:

1. S. Chattanatha Karayalar
2. V. Padmanabhan Thampi
3. M. K. Nilakanta Iyer
4. S. Sundararajan
5. S. Krishna Iyer
6. N. Krishna Iyer
7. M. K. Ananthasiva Iyer
8. A. V. Thomas
9. Dr. K. Padmanabha Panikkar.

(*b*) Yes, one.

The Bank being an independent statutory institution is not bound to report such matters to Government or give any such information as is asked for.

MR. P. SIVARAMA PILLAI: May I know the reason for the resignation of that one member?

MR. S. SUNDARARAJAN: Government are not aware of the reason.

MR. P. SIVARAMA PILLAI: May I know the name of the member who had resigned?

MR. S. SUNDARARAJAN: Mr. Pereira.

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